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DOR Offers Relief To Hurricane Frances' Victims

ATLANTA – Businesses or individuals in the Presidential Disaster Area that was struck by Hurricane Frances are eligible for tax extensions and assistance from the Georgia Department of Revenue, Commissioner Bart L. Graham announced today.

"We will do all we can to assist taxpayers who have been impacted by Hurricane Frances," said Commissioner Graham.

Commissioner Graham added that "affected businesses or individuals in the Presidential Disaster Area will be given a 30-day filing extension by writing 'Tropical Storm September 2004' across the top of their returns."

Taxpayers having questions or needing assistance should contact DOR's main office in Atlanta at (404) 417-2400.

The Hurricane Frances disaster area consists of 36 Florida counties.

Previously, the Department gave a similar extension to taxpayers in the 25 Florida counties declared a Presidential Disaster Area following Tropical Storm Bonnie and Hurricane Charley.

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